

AMENDMENTS

In the specification:

Please amend the specification as follows:

Page ~~3~~, lines ~~19~~ and ~~25~~, and page ~~6~~, line ~~8~~, please change "Tween 80[®]" to --TWEEN 80[®]--.

Page ~~3~~, line ~~26~~ and page ~~6~~, line ~~8~~, please change "Span[®] 85" to --SPAN[®] 85--.

Page ~~23~~, line ~~1~~, please change "Span[®]" to --SPAN[®]--.

Page ~~23~~, line ~~2~~, please change "Arlacel[®]" to --ARLACEL[®]--.

Page ~~23~~, line ~~4~~, please change "Tween[®]" to --TWEEN[®]--.

Page ~~23~~, line ~~5~~, please change "Myrj[®]" to --MYRJ[®]--.

Page ~~23~~, line ~~7~~, please change "Brij[®]" to --BRIJ[®]--.

Page ~~25~~, lines ~~19~~, ~~29~~ and ~~32~~, please change "Tween[®] 80" to --TWEEN[®] 80--.

Page ~~25~~, lines ~~19~~ and ~~30~~, please change "Span[®] 85" to --SPAN[®] 85--.

In the claims:

Please amend the claims as follows:

A1 1. (Amended) A composition comprising a submicron oil-in-water emulsion immunological adjuvant, and a selected antigen entrapped in, or adsorbed to, a biodegradable microparticle.

A2 4. (Amended) The composition of claim 1, wherein the submicron oil-in-water emulsion comprises 4-5% w/v squalene, 0.25-0.5% w/v polyoxyethylene sorbitan monooleate [Tween 80[®]], and 0.5% w/v sorbitan trioleate [Span 85[®]], and optionally, N-acetylmuramyl-L-alanyl-D-isoglutaminyl-L-alanine-2-(1'-2'-dipalmitoyl-*sn*-glycero-3-hydroxyphosphoryloxy)-ethylamine.

A3 9. (Amended) A composition comprising (a) a submicron oil-in-water emulsion immunological adjuvant which comprises 4-5% w/v squalene, 0.25-0.5% w/v